

There But For Fortune Chords by Joan Baez



THERE BUT FOR FORTUNE

As recorded by Joan Baez

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Capo 3rd fret

[Intro]

G Cm G Cm

[Verse 1]

G Cm G

Show me the prison

Cm G

Show me the jail

Em Am D

Show me the prisoner whose life has gone stale

G Em

And I'll show you a young man

C Am

With so many reasons why

Bm Em A D G Cm G

There but for fortune go you or I, mmm

[Verse 2]

G Cm G

Show me the alley

Cm G

Show me the train

Em A D

Show me the hobo who sleeps out in the rain

G Em

And I'll show you, young man

C Am

With so many reasons why

Bm Em A D G Cm G

There but for fortune go you or I, mmm

[Verse 3]

G Cm G Cm G

Show me the whiskey stains on the floor

Em A D

Show me the drunkard as he stumbles out the door

G Em

And I'll show you a young man

C **Am**
With so many reasons why
Bm **Em** **A** **D** **G** **Cm** **G**
There but for fortune go you or I, mmm

[Verse 4]

G **Cm** **G** **Cm** **G**
Show me the country where the bombs had to fall
Em **A** **D**
Show me the ruins of the buildings, once so tall
G **Em**
And I'll show you, young man
C **Am**
With so many reasons why
Bm **Em** **A** **D**
There but for fortune go you and I
G **Ab** **Cm** **G**
You and I